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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

STOREHOUSE OFFER COLLECTING SYSTEM

By (Inventors):

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26 pages of Specification/Claims 1-13/Abstract are attached.

Formal drawings (Figs. 1-7; 8 sheets) are attached.

Priority of <u>Japanese</u> Application Number <u>2003-051411</u> filed <u>February 27, 2003</u>, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, with Form PTO-1449, and 1 reference.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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BASIC FEE				
TOTAL CLAIMS	13 - 20	= 0		
INDEP CLAIMS	2 - 3	= 0		
☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				

SMALL ENTITY				
RATE.	FEE	<u>OR</u>		
4.2	\$ 385	<u>OR</u>		
x 9 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
x 43 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
+145 =	\$	<u>OR</u>		
TOTAL	\$	OR		

LANCE ENTITY					
RATE	FEE				
	\$ 770				
x 18	\$	0			
x 86	\$	0			
+290	\$	0			
TOTAL	\$ 770				

LARGE ENTITY

NO FEE IS ENCLOSED AT THIS TIME.

Respectfully submitted,

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